

# TOPEKA SHOWS A BIG GROWTH

Increase of Nearly 4,000 in  
Population for Year.

County Assessor Places the  
Figures at 50,285.

INCREASE IN ENTIRE COUNTY

Shawnee Inhabited by Little  
Less Than 70,000.

Estimates Based on Personal  
Property Returns.

An increase of something like 5,000 in the population of Shawnee county, more than 4,000 of which is in the city of Topeka, is estimated by County Assessor Samuel H. Haynes from figures he has in his office. The assessor, however, depends upon the new personal property tax statements he has secured than upon the returns from his deputy assessors, the latter being admittedly inaccurate. The assessors have so many more important matters on hand in the assessment of property that they are prone to mis population figures.

Last year Topeka's population was shown to be 46,385. This year the population should run, therefore, above the 50,000 mark and Mr. Haynes is quite sure such is the case. The population of the county last year was 54,225. This year, if Mr. Haynes' estimates are correct, the population should run close to 70,000.

The estimates are based upon the new personal property statements brought in this year, which are believed to show better than the assessors' returns as to population the number of people who live in the county. Mr. Haynes shows the number of statements by two, which is considered decidedly conservative, the estimated increase in population is reached.

Population of Townships.

The following table shows the population last year and the estimated population this year with the increase by townships. The figures show that Shawnee county has an urban population of about 54,000 with approximately 16,000 suburban residents.

Township	1912	1913	In.
Auburn	925	1,000	75
Dover	1,021	1,121	100
Menoken	715	745	30
Mission	1,128	1,228	100
Monmouth	1,251	1,351	100
Roseville	1,438	1,538	100
Silver Lake	988	1,088	100
Soldier	2,741	2,841	100
Township	1,065	1,165	100
Topeka	46,385	50,285	3,900
Williamsport	1,481	1,581	100
Oakland city	1,734	1,834	100
Topeka city	46,385	50,285	3,900
Totals	64,225	69,124	4,900

# IT IS HOT TODAY

All Heat Records for May Are  
Broken.

Thermometer Reached 98  
Shortly After Noon.

All Kansas is sizzling today! The temperature at 2 o'clock this afternoon was dangerously near the 100 degree mark at Topeka, and reports of excessive heat have been received from all sections of the state. Previous heat records for the month of May have been broken at Topeka, and thermometer registered 98 degrees at 1 o'clock. The temperatures are averaging 15 degrees above normal for this date and six degrees above the midsummer average.

Slight relief from the heat is promised in the northern portion of the state tonight, but Friday the mercury is expected to soar to a point nearly as high as that reached today. However, the weather map shows that cool weather is on the way and may arrive by the end of the week.

The forecast calls for "generally" fair weather for tonight and Friday. This admits of the possibility of scattered showers in Kansas.

The heat is causing much damage to the wheat in the south-central and the western portions of Kansas. The wheat is beginning to suffer and likewise the spring crops. Locally a rain would be a help, but thus far no real damage has been done.

The hourly readings:

7 o'clock	71	12 o'clock	88
8 o'clock	73	1 o'clock	91
9 o'clock	78	2 o'clock	94
10 o'clock	80	2 o'clock	97

# HEAT IN OTHER PLACES.

Wichita, Kan., May 29.—A hot wave swept over Kansas today, the government thermometer in this city registering 97 degrees at noon. The previous hottest day was 96 degrees in 1896. This was the hottest day of the season here, the mercury registering 90 degrees at 1 o'clock at the government station twelve stories above the street.

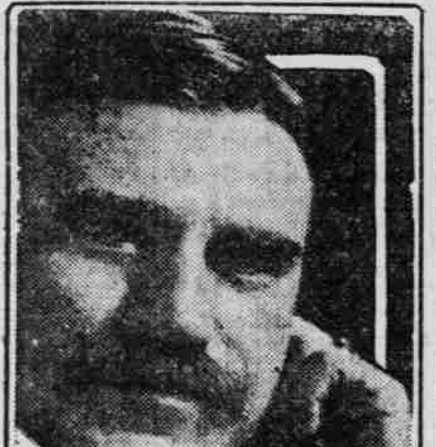
Hutchinson, Kan., May 29.—At 1 o'clock this afternoon the temperature was 104 degrees in the shade in Hutchinson, seven degrees hotter than at any other May day on record at the local government station.

# NO SENATE ICE WATER

Washington, May 29.—Economy the fetch of the administration, has hit the senate ice water tanks. They are no more. If the senators want ice, they must pay for it as well as for something to keep it in. No one around the senate wing of the capitol will disclose the source of the order, but the fact remains that when the senators arrived at their offices yesterday, the various brands of spring water with their cooling apparatus had been removed. Neither was there any in the senate chamber or cloak rooms. There are water taps in every room, but Potomac water is neither cool nor palatable.

# PANAMA ENVOY WELL KNOWN.

Dr. Ensebia A. Morales One of the Powers of the Country.



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Washington, May 29.—Dr. Ensebia A. Morales, the new minister to the United States from the republic of Panama, who arrived recently in Washington, is a very distinguished and able man and is one of the powers of his country.

When the republic was first organized he was sent to Europe to arrange for its recognition. He returned to be made minister of public instruction. After that he was made secretary of state, and now is representing his country here.

Dr. Morales is about fifty years old, is married and has six children. The family are still in Panama, with the exception of one son, who is attending school here. Senor Morales and the family are to come to Washington next winter.

# GIFT TO WASHBURN

College Receives \$50,000 From  
Andrew Carnegie.

Completes Addition of \$250,000  
to Endowment.

The last \$50,000 of a quarter of a million dollar addition to the endowment funds of Washburn college has been received by Frank K. Sanders, president of the college, from the Carnegie Corporation of New York. The entire fund with the exception of the Carnegie gift was contributed by Kansans—largely Topekan.

More than a year ago an application was made for the \$50,000, but owing to a misunderstanding in the agreement it was necessary to raise several additional thousands. The last few hundred dollars came in slowly.

The final application papers were drawn up in such a manner by J. Willis Gled that Mr. Bertram, the private secretary to Andrew Carnegie was convinced that all conditions of the agreement were met. Washburn was to receive the \$50,000 gift had been fulfilled.

The details of the proposition have been exploited in the State Journal. Suffice it to remark that the Carnegie gift will go far towards assuring the permanency of an institution of which Topeka may well be proud and which is one of the big assets of the capital city.

# ABSOLVED FROM BLAME

Washington Police Cleared of Charges  
of Suffragists.

Washington, May 29.—Superintendent Sylvester and the Washington police are absolved from blame for the disorders which attended the woman suffrage pageant on March 3. The report of the senate committee which investigated the affair was presented to the senate today.

The immense crowd that flocked to Washington for the inauguration and the fact that street cars were permitted to operate along the line of march up to the last moment, were charged with being principally responsible.

The police were generally praised for their efforts to give the marchers a clear path.

The marchers were virtually swamped by the crowd. Many of the women testified before the committee that they were insulted, manhandled and spit upon in sight of police officers who gave them no aid. Others who swore they were eyewitnesses of the procession testified that they saw no disorder.

The committee held that while some of the uniformed and some special policemen acted "with apparent indifference and made little attempt to check the crowds the whole force could not be discredited," and added that there was not sufficient proof upon which to single out any particular individual for reproof or condemnation.

Chief Sylvester was exonerated of "hostility" to the suffragists and their parade.

# KILLED EMPLOYER.

H. D. Nichols of Garnett Shot by Farm  
Hand With Pistol.

Garnett, Kan., May 29.—H. D. Nichols, a widely known resident of Garnett, was shot and killed this morning by A. B. Moberly, a young man who had been working for him. They got into a dispute and Moberly drew his revolver and shot Nichols. The boy was arrested.

The shooting took place on the east farm belonging to Mr. Nichols, two miles east of town. Mr. Nichols was a brother-in-law of P. C. Trigg of the Kansas City Star. He left two daughters. Mrs. Nichols died two years ago.

# SUBSIDY GOES OUT

The Senate Will Strike the Differential on Imports

Carried in American Vessels  
From the Tariff Bill.

# FOREIGN NATIONS PROTESTED

They Are Upheld by the Department of State.

The President Also in Accord  
With That View.

Washington, May 29.—Senator Simmons, chairman of the finance committee, definitely announced after a conference with President Wilson today that the proposed 5 per cent differential on imports in American owned or controlled vessels would be dropped from the tariff bill in the senate on account of protests from foreign nations.

Senator Simmons also declared that objections of foreign nations to the clause to compel merchants to submit their books to an American agent in cases of disputed valuation would be met. In both cases the state department holds that protests are justified. The president upheld that view.

Chairman Simmons also took up with the president questions of equalization of duty on raw materials and manufactured products, among them wheat, flour and pig iron. Mr. Simmons declined to discuss the president's views on those points, saying no decision had been reached but that he had sought Mr. Wilson's ideas and would transmit them to members of the finance committee.

Chairman Underwood, of the ways and means committee, when asked about the probable action of the house should the tariff bill come back with an amendment to eliminate the 5 per cent clause said that personally he favored the retention of the provision as one of the ways of building up a merchant marine.

He believed in discrimination in favor of American ships," he said. "Foreign nations discriminate in favor of their ships and I do not see why we should not."

Mr. Underwood did not indicate whether there would be any effort to retain the provision if the administration raised strong objection.

Sensors on the subcommittee of the finance committee working on the cotton schedule of the Underwood bill are said to be ready to recommend some increase in the house rates. More than a hundred witnesses from the New England and southern cotton sections are reported to have favorably impressed the senators with their arguments that some of the cuts were too great.

The committee also is expected to recommend some changes in the chemical schedule among them to be the free listing of certain dyes used in the manufacture of cotton which the house bill has included in the dutiable list. Senator Stone's subcommittee still is figuring over the wool and metal schedules. Few changes are looked for in woolen manufactures. Some reductions are known to have been decided upon in the steel schedule. Structural steel will be reduced.

# DE MUMM IN LONDON.

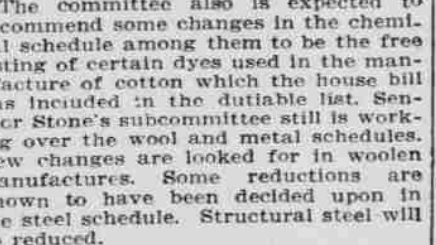
French Champagne Maker Who Will  
Marry Kansas Girl on Way.

London, May 29.—Walter DeMumm of Paris, who is to be married to Frances Scoville of Seneca, Kansas, on June 2, arrived here today.

DeMumm, whose name is known wherever champagne is drunk, said that more champagne was being drunk in America than ever before and this indicated to him that the time was ripe for the best of friends to make a definite prophecy.

Mr. DeMumm said that the prospects for the coming vintage were not the most encouraging, but it was a little early to make a definite prophecy.

"One hears more about the champagne they are making in western America," said DeMumm. "There are those who say it equals the best that comes from France. Personally, I have my doubts, for after all, it is a question of grapes and climatic conditions, and even the best of friends of American wine must admit that we have both in superior quality in France."



# ALL UNDER WATER

The Railroad Yards at Superior, Wis., Are Flooded.

Young Women Marooned in  
Normal School Dormitory.

Superior, Wis., May 29.—Damage which may reach \$200,000 was done in Superior today by a rainfall which caused streams to overflow their banks. The Chicago, Minneapolis and Sault Ste. Marie freight yards and terminal buildings were damaged to the extent of over \$100,000.

Eight tracks were washed away, freight cars were overturned, the round house and machine shops flooded and the entire yards covered with water for an area of nearly a square mile. The lines of the Northern Pacific, the Chicago, Minneapolis, St. Paul and Duluth South Shore and Atlantic railroads also were washed out but the damage was smaller and the tracks will be open for traffic by night.

The State Normal school dormitory occupied by 75 young women students was cut off by water and its occupants were marooned until rafts were built to ferry them across to dry land. Houses were isolated by water and the inhabitants were reached by rafts.

The ball park of the Superior Northern League was several feet under water.

# SNOW FOR DESSERT.

Chemical Club of Harvard Will Serve  
Them at Banquet.

Cambridge, May 29.—To reduce the cost of living, serve snowballs for dessert. The novelty may be employed in midsummer by the addition of a chemical laboratory to the kitchen and application to the Boylston chemical club of Harvard university for the recipe.

At a banquet of the club next month the wintry weapons of small boys will be tried for desert. Students in chemistry have engaged to make them in the university laboratory and turn them over to the caterers to be flavored and served instead of expensive ices and sherbets. The senior class is also said to be considering making snowballs in June in order to have a snowball fight to take the place of the usual class rush or the confetti battle at the stadium.

# HAS STRONG CASE

Witnesses Continue to Testify  
to Roosevelt's Sobriety.

Charles Willis Thompson of  
New York Is Called.

# SAW HIM ALONE MANY TIMES

Swears He Never Smelled  
Liquor on Colonel's Breath.

Accompanied Him on Trip of  
11,000 Miles Last Year.

Marquette, May 29.—Five witnesses for Col. Roosevelt, a relative, a former member of the Rough Riders' regiment, a former locomotive fireman, a newspaper man and a former judge, testified today in Col. Roosevelt's suit for libel against George A. Newett.

All of the witnesses called by the plaintiff, declared the colonel was only a moderate user of intoxicants.

The substance of the testimony as given by Philip Roosevelt, a young son of the colonel's cousin; Charles Willis Thompson, a New York newspaper man; Abraham A. Graham, a locomotive fireman; Edwin Emerson, a Cuban Rough Rider campaigner, and A. Z. Blair, a former common pleas judge of Ohio, was:

That, during a campaign in Cuba, with the Rough Riders, Col. Roosevelt drank only black coffee or water and never liquor of any kind.

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# AYRES TO APPEAL

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# DAY TO VETERANS

Parade at 1:30 O'clock Feature  
of Decoration Events.

Complete Program Will Be  
Given at Auditorium.

Memorial Day—Friday—will be fittingly observed in Topeka by the members of the G. A. R. and the Sons of Veterans who will assist in the ceremonies.

A big parade at 1:30 o'clock will be the feature of the day. The first division will form on Seventh street, right resting on Quincy street, and will include a platoon of police, city officers, fire department, Boy Scouts, speakers and master of ceremonies, in command of General Hughes, led by the Knights and Ladies of Security band.

The second division in command of Captain Patton will form on Sixth street, right resting on Quincy street. It will include Battery "A," field artillery, Spanish-American war veterans, Sons of Veterans, boy's industrial society and civic societies, led by Second Regiment band, K. N. G.

The third division, led by Jackson's Twenty-Third Regiment band, will form on Fifth street, right resting on Quincy street, and will proceed to Lincoln Post No. 71, Ladies of W. R. C. Circle and Ladies' Aid, in command of Lieutenant Seth Hamme.

The parade will be in charge of Colonel R. Nell Rahn, chief marshal. The following comrades have been detailed on the staff: William Peterson, Colonel George W. Veale, W. H. Whittekind, and Dr. S. G. Stewart.

The line of march will be north on Quincy street to Fifth street; west on Fifth street to Kansas avenue; south on Kansas avenue to Ninth street; and west on Ninth street to Quincy street and north to the Auditorium.

The program at the Auditorium: Governor's Memorial day proclamation—By Grant Harrington.

Sons of Veterans—Led by M. C. Holman, accompanied on the organ by Professor Seymour.

Prayer—By Rev. W. M. Jackson.

General Logan's General Order No. 11—Read by Conrad Sidwell.

Reading—By Mrs. Isabelle McArthur.

Song—By Mrs. B. B. Smythe.

Lincoln's Gettysburg address—By Edwin A. Austin.

Song, "Star Spangled Banner"—By Mrs. John Wright.

Address—By Rev. J. K. Miller.

The graves of the veterans will be elaborately decorated. Flowers will be furnished by the children of the city schools.

For the benefit of those of the old soldiers who are too feeble to march in line the Commercial club is asking the use of motor cars to convey these veterans in the parade.

# ROBERTSON'S NAME IN

President Sends Nomination of Kansas  
to the Senate.

Washington, May 29.—President Wilson today sent to the senate the following nominations: Consul at Manchester, England, William H. Robertson of Virginia; Consul general at Halifax, Nova Scotia, Evan E. Young of South Dakota; solicitor for the department of labor, John B. Densmore of Montana; United States attorney for Kansas, Fred Robertson of Atwood, Kan.; collector of customs for the district of Boston and Charlestown, Mass., Joseph B. Russell of Boston; naval officer of customs in the district of Philadelphia, W. M. Croll of Pennsylvania; commissioner of Indian affairs, Cato Sells of Cleburne, Tex.

# TODAY IN CONGRESS.

Washington, May 29.—Senate in session 2 p. m. Chairman Hoke Smith of labor committee held meeting to consider plans for investigation into West Virginia coal mine strike.

Suffrage parade special investigating committee reported disorder of March 3 was due principally to unusual crowds and praised work of police.

House met at noon and adjourned at 12:15 p. m. on Monday out of respect to the memory of the late Representative Forrest Goodwin, Third Maine district.

# TREATY OF PEACE

Bulgaria and Turkey Will Sign  
in London Tomorrow.

The Other Balkan States Are  
Expected to Do Likewise.

# WILL LEAVE THE WAY CLEAR

For the Victors to Fight Out  
Among Themselves

The Question of a Division of  
the Spoils.

London, May 29.—It is practically certain that the treaty of peace between the Balkans and Turkey is to be signed at the British foreign office by the peace delegates of the various states concerned tomorrow. Bulgaria and Turkey have both definitely decided to sign the document in deference to the wishes of Sir Edward Grey, the British foreign secretary, and there is little doubt that the other three allies, Serbia, Greece and Montenegro will do likewise.

Greece and Serbia desire to add a protocol to the treaty and insist by the European powers dealing with the question of amnesty and the conventions to be negotiated after peace shall have been concluded. Bulgaria, however, objects to the addition of this protocol as it regards it as likely to leave the door open for further discussion and she has determined to sign the treaty of peace with Turkey without any more delay and so to clear the field for the very negotiations which will have to undertake with her allies over the division of the spoils of victory.

In Sofia the speech made by the Serbian premier yesterday in the parliament at Belgrade, when he explained that Serbia desired a modification of the treaty with Bulgaria regarding the division of territory, is believed to have destroyed the hope of a peaceful settlement of the Serbian and Bulgarian dispute.

The principal Serbian peace delegate in London at noon today receive a dispatch from his government authorizing him to sign the preliminary treaty of peace with Turkey.

# HE IS JUST LIKE THOMPSON.

Congressman From Pennsylvania Tells  
of Himself in Biography.

Washington, May 29.—Fred E. Lewis, the new Republican congressman from Allentown, Pa., says in his biography in the Congressional Directory, after telling at some length of the industries organized by himself, notably a bank and a telephone company, that he is especially popular with the working classes and that he has been largely instrumental in bringing about settlements of labor disputes. He also says that he is a member of one of the oldest and most prominent families of Lehigh county. Mr. Lewis is about forty-eight, is married and has two children.

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Wichita, Kan., May 29.—Senator W. H. Thompson has stirred up a hornet's nest of censure in this county by his announced intention of appointing State Senator Fred Robertson, of Atwood, as United States district attorney to succeed H. J. Bone, present incumbent. By selecting the Atwood Democrat for this \$4,500 a year job, Wichita Democrats claim that Thompson has violated his word given here during a Masonic reunion last fall.

Wichita had a candidate for the office in the person of W. A. Ayres, a Democrat of long standing and a power locally. Mr. Ayres was twice elected county attorney in a Republican county, and he has a strong following in southern Kansas. That Thompson recognized this was evidenced when he offered to appoint Mr. Ayres the first deputy. Of course Ayres refused and it is said will go over Thompson's head.

Henderson Martin, of Marion, chairman, was a candidate for this office. When he was appointed chairman of the state utilities commission it is asserted here that he pledged his support to Ayres.

This attitude on the part of Mr. Martin is said to have been fatal to Mr. Ayres, as there is an open breach between Mr. Martin and the senator from Garden City.

Martin fought Senator Thompson's recommendation that Capt. J. H. Shields be appointed postmaster in Wichita.

The postmaster fight is still on. Both Captain Shields and Mr. Jacques, chairman of the local Democratic organization, claim to have the best of it.

Now the fight for United States district attorney is going to be another Wichita postoffice fight all over again. It is said that a strong delegation of Kansas Democrats is planning to go to Washington to protest against Robertson being named. An attempt will be made to get Henderson Martin to lead the delegation which aims to go directly to the president.

# THIEVES TAP A BARREL

Bore Hole Through the Floor of a  
Depot Building.

Tomah, Wis., May 29.—Contents of a 26-gallon barrel of whisky which arrived here late yesterday and was stored in the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul depot over night have disappeared through an unusual theft. The thieves had crawled under the depot, bored a hole through the floor and the bottom of the barrel, drained off the whisky and disappeared without leaving trace of their doings or losing any of the whisky. Today the freight house crew found only an empty barrel behind the double padlocks on the building.

# MAKE GRAIN PROBE.

Attorney General and Governor Call  
Hearing for June 4.

Both the attorney general and governor have announced that they will make a thorough investigation of the charges of discrimination and irregularities by the grain inspection department and have called a hearing in Topeka for June 4. The state grain inspector and several of his deputies have been advised to attend the hearing.

To see that there is a "square deal," the question of grain inspection which grading will be carefully inquired into at the investigation to be conducted at the state house next Wednesday.

# GIRL MAKES A GRAVE CHARGE

Former Chief Jenkins Implied  
cated by 16-Year-Old.

Anna Minter Tells of Relations  
With Police.

# IN CUSTODY OF POLICE MATRON

Girl Said Mrs. Sare Had Knowledge  
of Actions.

Officers Cates and Saunders  
Mentioned in Testimony.



Anna Minter.

Testimony implicating former Chief of Police Morris Jenkins, at least two former officers, and Mrs. Della A. Sare, former police matron, was given by Anna Minter, a little 16-year-old waif, at the preliminary hearing of W. J. Davis, charged with violations of the White Slave law, this morning. The little waif declared she had had immemorial relations with the former chief and with Police Officers Jesse Cates and E. G. Saunders, with the knowledge and tacit consent of Mrs. Sare. Such relations were renewed and continued over a considerable period of time while she was in the charge and custody of Mrs. Sare, the girl said.

Sometimes, when she had been out late with one of the men, Mrs. Sare would scold her a little, she said, and warn her to be careful. But there was nothing beyond that. She declared Mrs. Sare consented to her making dates with the police officers, and she named the officers with whom she went and told all the details in connection with such excursions.

The last time she was with Jenkins, she said, was two days before he left the police force. Several times she declared she went with officers to his house at 502 East Fifth street, which house is alleged to have been operated by Davis.

Saunders and Cates, who are implicated in the testimony of Mrs. Sare, suddenly resigned from the police force about a week ago. At the time their resignations were handed in, Chief J. W. F. Hughes refused to say that he was thinking of preferring charges against them, merely announcing that they had left the force to take up other work.

The testimony this morning came like a thunderbolt. The girl was not shaken at all in her testimony, proving herself good in remembering times and places, and vowing she could not be mistaken in her charges against the former police officers. The testimony, however, did not connect Davis up with any violations of the white slave law at the address given, 428 Jefferson street, referring only to the other number of East Fifth street. He was discharged from the force against him only to be re-arrested charged with similar offenses at 502 East Fifth street.

Nathaniel Ayres, taken by County Attorney William E. Atchison on the information received relative to the former police officers and none may be taken.

# HODGES ON A HUNT.

Governor Will Spend Vacation in  
Canadian Woods.

Accompanied by his brother, Frank Hodges of Ottawa, Ont., several years ago of Kansas City, Governor Hodges plans to spend his vacation on a big game hunt near Bathurst, New Brunswick, Canada. The trip will be made in September.

It is probable that the governor will remain in Topeka the greater portion of the summer and will leave in September for a month's hunting along the St. Lawrence. Bathurst, where the hunt will start, is on Bay Chaleur, an arm of the Gulf of St. Lawrence. It is a wild country and moose, caribou, deer and black bear abound there. The river Nepisiguit, which flows into the bay at Bathurst, also provides good salmon fishing.

Doctor Cordier, who will accompany the governor and his brother on the trip, is known throughout the country as a hunter. He has succeeded in the capture of several books on game. He has killed moose in New Brunswick, bears in the Aleutian Isles and mountain lions in Alaska. Once, several years ago, Governor Hodges spent a month on a hunting expedition in the northern country and for some months has been planning a return trip. He expects to leave Topeka early in September.

# KANSAS PREACHER A POET.

McPherson, Kan., May 29.—The people of McPherson, Marion and Dickinson counties are pleased to hear that Dr. McKendree De Motte of Pagosa Springs, Colo., has succeeded in putting a number of literature selections before the public. He has published a volume of poems entitled "The Bridge of the Stars." Dr. De Motte is well known in this section.

# TODAY'S GAMES.

- Western.
- Lincoln at Denver, clear.
- Wichita at St. Joseph, clear.
- Topeka at Des Moines, clear.
- National.
- Chicago at Pittsburgh, clear.
- Cincinnati at St. Louis, clear.
- Brooklyn at Boston, clear.
- Philadelphia at New York, clear.
- American.
- Detroit at Chicago, clear.
- St. Louis at Cleveland, clear.
- Boston at Washington, clear.
- New York at Philadelphia, clear.
- Association.
- Toledo at Louisville, clear.
- Indianapolis at Columbus, game postponed, rain.
- Milwaukee at Kansas City, cloudy.